

Carlton 'Serenades in Blue' Saturday

Hundreds Attend Exhibits, Programs Of Parents' Day

The annual Parents' Day celebration was held at St. Joseph's last Sunday. Several hundred parents, relatives, and friends attended.

The entertainment began after dinner with the baseball game between the Pumas and the Lewis Flyers at 12:45 p. m. The focus of interest then transferred to the fieldhouse where the College Band, directed by the Rev. Clement J. Kuhns, presented its Spring Concert at 3:00 p. m. Their program included numbers from both popular and classical music, as well as march-time tempos.

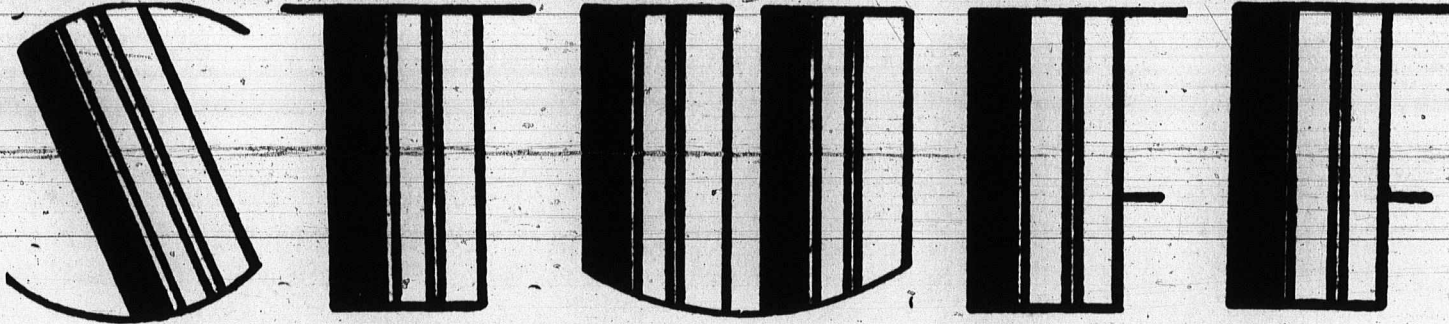
The Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, president of the college, then addressed the audience, after which a check from the St. Joseph's Mothers' Club was presented to him for campus improvements.

The College Concert Chorus under the Rev. Lawrence F. Heiman followed the president with its portion of the show. Throughout the afternoon the fathers and mothers served punch in their lounge in the North Science study hall.

The afternoon ended with Benediction in the College Chapel and a Rosary procession to the Grotto at 5:00 p. m. After the evening meal, the Columbian Players presented *The Hasty Heart*. They were directed by Mr. John J. Kirby.

The more intellectual aspect of the day centered around the College Library. From 10:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m., parents of St. Joe men were given the opportunity to confer with the Rev. Walter T. Pax, Dean of the College; the Rev. Daniel E. Schaefer, Dean of Men; the Rev. Richard P. Baird, Admissions Counselor; and Mr. James R. Bogan, registrar.

The Parents Day exhibits were



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New Noll Hall Lounge Opens

The new Noll Hall lounge opened this week, in time for the Prom.

The lounge, delayed time and again by planning headaches and misshipped shipments, became complete with the arrival of the last items of furniture last weekend.

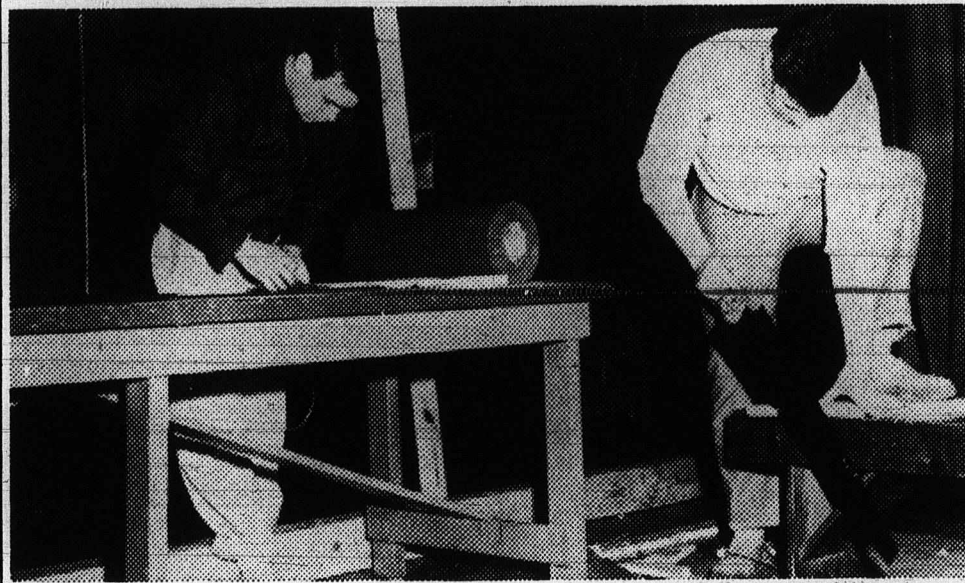
The room, located in the basement of Noll Hall, is completely air-conditioned and boasts indirect heating and lighting. Done in a green-and-beige scheme, the lounge contains a mural wall, frosted windows, and natural-wood-stained cushioned couches. These latter are actually built into the wall-boards. Plants at the base of the windows provide added atmosphere.

The lounge will be used for the convenience of campus visitors and for other affairs as decided by the Dean of Men, a prime mover in its construction.

Other lounges on the campus at present are located in the Administration Building and in Drexel Hall.

also held in the library. These included displays of liturgy and items of interest about the Society of the Precious Blood.

From the library, where registration for the day was held, were specially guided tours at regular intervals, for campus first-timers.



Completing work on the fieldhouse decorations for the Junior Prom this Saturday are Ed Zander and Jim Righheimer. The gym will be covered by crepe paper in the "Serenade in Blue" motif, and a trellised passageway is being constructed. George Kuhn is chairman of the event.

135 Expected on Campus For Xavier Parents' Day

Alumni Chapter Presents College With \$2000 Gift

The Lake County Chapter of the St. Joseph's College Alumni Association at its last meeting, April 24, presented the college with two \$1000 checks and also bestowed its first annual St. Joseph's Award to the "Outstanding Layman."

The Rev. Joseph Smolar, moderator of the chapter, presented the award, a hand-carved statue of St. Joseph, to Mr. William Curosh, a Whiting business man and cum laude graduate of 1940.

Mr. James Buckley, chapter president, presented the first check for \$1000 to the Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, president of the college, for a scholarship for an outstanding student of the Catholic high school in the Calumet area.

The second check for \$1000 was presented to the St. Joseph's Calumet Center for the purpose of expanding the center's educational program, which is in its fourth semester of operation in Bishop Noll High School, Hammond.

After the dinner a short program was presented by St. Joseph's Glee Club in collaboration with the Calumet Center Glee Club under the direction of the Rev. Lawrence Heiman.

Draft Qualification Test Taken by 43

Forty-three St. Joe students took the three-hour Selective Service College Qualification test on Thursday morning, April 24. Conducted by the Rev. Walter T. Pax, it was the second such test given during the current school year.

Similar in content to its predecessor of last December, it was composed of 150 multiple-choice questions on such subjects as physics, mathematics, vocabulary, and reading comprehension.

In order to pass the test, a student had to answer correctly 75% of the questions. Final determination of draft status, however, lies with the local draft board.

Prom Attracts Student Body

By BUEL ADAMS

The social event of the year will become a reality this weekend, when the Junior class plays host to the entire student body at the "Serenade in Blue" Junior Prom.

Dick Carlton and his orchestra will perform a return engagement in the fieldhouse for the Prom, after their wholehearted reception last year. Carlton promises "America's Smartest Music" for the event.

An added feature instituted this year is a supper dance and party after the Prom in Raleigh Hall. Music for this part of the festivities will be supplied by Willie Jones and his combo, a five-piece aggregation from Chicago. The \$2.00 admission will also cover the cost of food at the party. The dance was scheduled to prevent the Promgoers' having to travel to neighboring country clubs after the main affair.

The weekend begins Friday evening with a hayride sponsored by the Lake County Club. This will start around 8:00 p. m.; the cost will be \$.75 per couple. After the ride, Raleigh Hall will be thrown open for an informal dance.

Saturday's events include the St. Joe-Indiana State baseball encounter, an ICC contest, scheduled for the new diamond. The Prom itself begins at 9:00 p. m. and will continue until midnight. The supper dance will take place afterwards.

Guests of honor at the Prom will be the Hon. Charles Halleck, of the House of Representatives; Judge Moses Leopold; and Mayor Emil Hanley, of Rensselaer. Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Scharf and Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Kelly will be hosts and hostesses.

Heads of Prom committees are: George Kuhn, general Prom chairman, and decorations; Vince Agnew, band; Jim Righheimer and Bill Zimmer, program; Ken Ryan, housing; Phil Menna, tuxedos; Buel Adams, publicity; Don Klingenberg and Bernie Boff, bids; Bill Froemngen and Ron Cherry, flowers; Fred Handler, workers; and George Smolar and Ralph Meyer, finances.

Some of the choir's best-loved Palestrina motets, Jan Nidland's "Ave Maria" and "Magnificat," and other selections from different composers.

A Southern-fried chicken dinner will be served at Xavier Park, with Fathers Cera and Kuhns as head chef and assistant chef respectively. Dinner will be followed by the traditional father-son softball game. An informal supper on the Xavier lawn will precede evening prayers at the Grotto, if the weather again permits.



In session is the regional congress of the NFCCS, as the group meets to consider constitutional amendments during their stay on the St. Joe campus April 18-19. St. Joe man Miro Pregelj, regional ex-president, leans on his desk to ponder a pertinent point. Shown also are segments of the Notre Dame and St. Francis delegations.

Special Courses to be Offered On 1953 Summer Session Slate

The 1953 Summer Session at St. Joe will offer a special series of courses in addition to the regularly scheduled classes. These courses are planned to meet the needs of sisters but are also appropriate for the rest of the summer students, including teachers and adults.

Among the special summer courses offered will be one section of a four-year course in theology, quantity food preparation, and courses in physical education administration for sisters. Classes of 75 minutes' duration will be held Monday through Saturday for six weeks from June 22 to August 1.

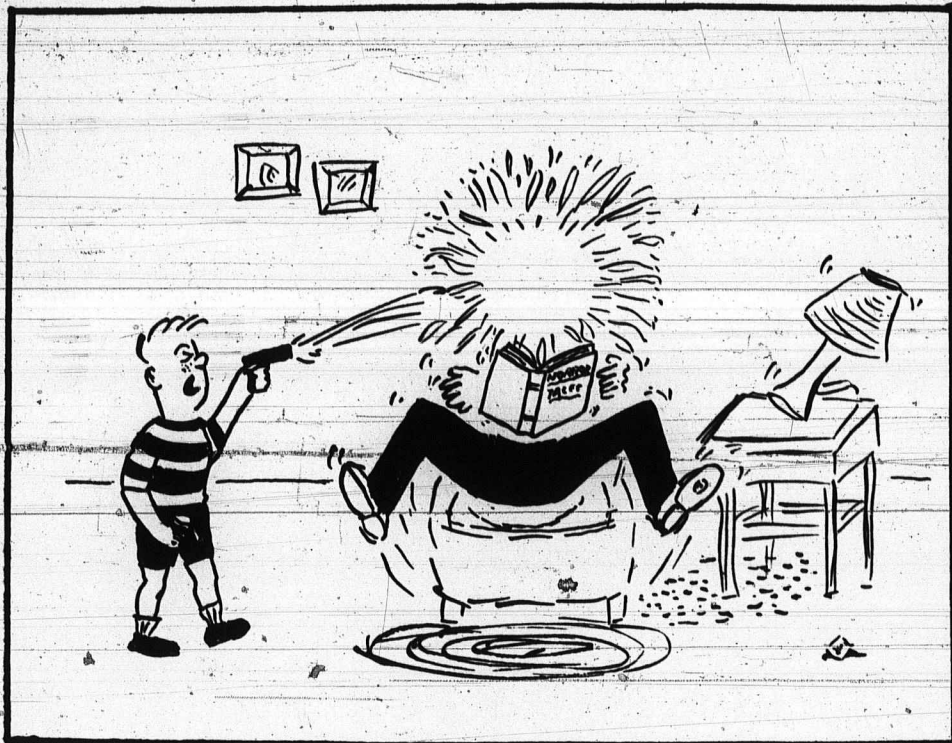
The regional field study in geology will cover the driftless areas of Wisconsin; South Dakota Bad-

lands; Black Hills; Yellowstone National Park; Great Salt Lake and Desert; Rocky Mountains of Northern Colorado; and points of geological interest associated with these areas.

Registration for the summer session will take place on Monday, June 22 from 8:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. Classes begin Tuesday, June 23. The deadline for registration is June 24. No student will be allowed to register for more than two courses, or for more than six semester hours of credit. Tuition will be ten dollars per credit hour, and room and board will vary from \$100 to \$115 depending on whether the rooms be single or double. The Rev. Edward Maziarz is director of the session.



Speakers at the first plenary session of the NFCCS congress and officers of the region gather for their picture. Shown standing at left is St. Joe senior delegate Don Netols; at right are ex-president Miro Pregelj and Student Council president Hugh McAvoy. Seated are regional moderator Msgr. Arthur Bukowski of Aquinas, guest speaker Miss Betty Schneider, and St. Joe moderator, the Rev. Henry Martin.



"Surprise!"

Regulations and Privileges

St. Joe students went to a convocation called by the Dean of Men April 23, ostensibly to receive a tongue-lashing as well as a tightening of the rules. But they came away with more privileges than they had when they entered the auditorium.

It was the Dean's first convocation of the year and, quoting liberally from these pages, he expounded the same hope that we have expressed time and again—that the student body become adult enough to handle additional privileges and responsibilities.

One thing—lights on all night during mid-semester week—had already proved successful. He was willing to gamble a little more on the student character and so granted the additional privileges of midnight lights out on weekends, use of the new Noll Hall lounge, and restricted drinking at the Prom. All these were given, as well as the promise of all-night lights for the finals, with the stipulation that they would be revoked if misused.

Certain other regulations were instituted, but these are merely extensions of those already in force and so do not curb any further student freedom. We refer to the obligatory Mass check, and stricter enforcement of study period quiet. These were inaugurated to correct abuses present at the time.

We cannot predict how the student body will receive the additional privileges. We only hope that they use them sensibly and do not thwart the purposes for which they were intended. If proper order flows from these new grants, we feel that the Dean and the administration will not hesitate in giving other extensions of privilege.

Should these be abused, however, we shall take it as evidence that the student body as a whole is not mature enough to accept responsibility, and, therefore, not mature enough to accept privileges. We will then advocate the revocation of these grants.

Friends On the Outside

One thing that has never ceased to astound us as we watch stories of all local happenings fly by our desk is the interest shown by the different outside groups connected with St. Joe.

As we sit here, comfortably snug in our little collegiate world, we little realize the pain others have been or are taking to better the welfare of the college and of the students in our college.

Perhaps the best examples are the Fathers' and Mothers' Clubs of St. Joseph's. When our dads and moms take time out from the press of daily activity to go around soliciting funds for the redecoration of Gasper Hall or the purchase of an organ for the auditorium or work toward having a card party in order to raise funds for the improvement of St. Joe, it becomes evident that they see in St. Joe a good which it behooves them to better.

We attended the meeting of the Lake County alumni April 24, when they presented the college with two \$1000 checks, one to establish a scholarship and the other for general use. Their sincerity could not be doubted. Although it is true that these men have attended St. Joe in the past, they have little besides the alumni association still to link them with the campus. Yet they gave freely of their time and money to provide this \$2000 gift.

There are undoubtedly many others having no connection at all with St. Joe who, for one reason or another, are interested in the college and support it. To these unknowns, as well as to our parents and alumni, we owe deep appreciation for their efforts to make our lives better. And may we do similarly when we are placed in similar positions.

CP's and Audience Finally Click with Mutual Favorite

By HARRY FERSON

The Columbian Players and their audience finally got together and came up with a play that both of them liked. *The Hasty Heart*, produced last Sunday in the College Theater, was a laugh-provoking, crowd-pleasing epic that hit the viewers where they wanted to be hit—in their sense of humor. Delicately spiced with dramatic tidbits to whet the appetite, *The Hasty Heart* showed the blessings of wise type-casting. The talent was available; director Mr. John J. Kirby made ample use of it in right amounts.

The play was well-chosen. It was easy to understand, the type that an audience can relax and toy with. It had enough humor to be interesting, enough profanity to be teasing, and enough acting to keep the eye feasting. It was fast-moving, without lulls. Only the long speeches thickened by the Scottish burr required concentration. It was by far the best of the CP's this year.

The mechanics of the staging were excellent. The scenery was of the highest caliber; both the hospital and the jungle scene outside the windows gave the audience the feeling of actually being present. Little was left to the imagination. Lighting was effective, though the darkened theater between scenes was too prolonged. Curtain timing was adequate, props were suitable.

The best actor on the stage was the leading man, Dick Kotheimer. To the happy astonishment of many, he held his Scottish burr throughout the show without lapse. His timing was excellent and he was convincing, despite being a bit difficult to understand through his heavy dialect. Action was smooth, though somewhat rushed before costume changes.

Miss Beverly Sterrett on the whole was entirely adequate. A tendency to hurry things at certain times gave her the air of being over-anxious, but her actions were quite congruous with the role. She exhibited noticeable weakness only in the love scenes, where dialogue grew stilted and unconvincing.

Relaxed on stage at last, Jack Carlson began to demonstrate future potentialities. In his two best scenes—the final stormy one with Lachlen and the recitation of the books of the Bible—he gave promise of further, better performances. His stutter was excellent, though lost near the end of the play.

Buel Adams was completely unrestrained and completely natural. He seemed to perform as he would act in real life. With no outstanding scene, he was consistent throughout. A good Cockney accent finally came about after a rather dismal attempt in "The Glittering Gate." His pantomime and efforts with the fly-swatter were high points in the entire evening's performance. A strong character.

Joe Konkel was cast in a part far below his abilities, but he came through with his usual sterling bit of acting. In character and jovial throughout, his delivery was excellent, never forced. He and Adams formed a superb comedy duo, supplementing each other.

Though somewhat shorter than what the role demanded, Jim Meyering fitted his part rather well. Complacent and unmoved, he transmitted his character convincingly. Only complaint—the rapid healing of a broken arm.

Chuck Lenertz showed up as another good bet for the future. A perfect smile and perfect diction, added to clever pantomime, created a memorable character. He was well cast.

Belying the lines somewhat, Don Stazy did not seem like an "old" colonel. Variation in diction and correct tone of voice were among his assets. His movements centralized themselves and showed

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SHAVINGS

By ED BYRNE

EMIL JANC was on all fours, with posterior elevated, trying to catch a goldfish from the edge of the lagoon. Four of his fellow classmates passed by. Temptation. Weakening. Decision. SPLASH! Then, driven by the fear all criminals know, the boys ran off in hurried flight. But Brother Gerard, ever-alert, apprehended the culprits and promptly slapped a dollar fine on each of them—not for the dunking, 'cause that ain't strictly illegal at Collegeville, but for cutting across the lawn, 'cause that is!

Reminds us of the recent case at Oxford University, where the students found an old statute on the books giving them the right to have a mug of beer in their possession at all times during the strenuous exam period. The faculty also did a little research and decided that the beer would be permissible for any lad who also complied with the old law requiring every student to wear a sword!

SPEAKING OF LAWNs, it's nice of Father Schaefer to give the students an opportunity to work off lawn-crossing fines—especially when he picks up the loose paper while Merki holds the box!

IN A PUBLISHER'S BLURB for the new magazine *Foreign Policy Briefs* we read under comments from enthusiastic readers the following words submitted by Mr. Joseph L. Druse of Collegeville:

It behooves me, after examining four copies of *Briefs*, to express my almost unqualified approval of the new fortnightly. I could only wish that other major departments of the Government might emulate your example.

I've been told the column doesn't have enough "student interest" . . .

DUST IN THE CORNER: Ray Duda and Harry Kapalczyński expecting quadruplets. The momma robin who built her nest on their window-still

has laid four eggs, and something's bound to pop sooner or later . . . Al Lazur, Xavierite, author of an article which recently appeared in *Shield*, a mission magazine . . . Ed Joyce, leading point-getter for the Collegeville track team of '53 . . . *Masterplots*, a most well-received book which Brother Philip considers a frequent cooperator in "intellectual birth control" . . . Pete Fenlon, Jim Gordon, Ron Aygarn, Mike Kato, Carl Kohlin, Jack Udelhofen, Frank Holzer, Jim Messer, and Father Baird—all part their hair on the right side! . . . Nick Hoffman, campus highlight for fifteen years, planning to retire in June this year . . . *Measure and Phase*, campus publications, having in common the fact that the staffs of each expect their particular work to materialize for the student body some time in May. The yearbook material has long been in the printer's hands and proofs are awaited in every mail delivery. The literary journal has assembled its articles and the task of printing will soon be underway . . . Joe Pavlik attending to matters of the heart under an assumed name—too Polish for print—and, as far as we know, the little lady loved him just the same . . .

Joel Francoeur and Hugo Pennington seen wrestling on the lawn in front of the cafeteria at 6:00 p. m., May 2 . . . And, speaking of wrestling, John Quinn was doing just that on his chamber floor the day his parents decided to stop by on their way home from Florida! . . . Elmer Molchan, proud brother of a little man who is none other than Chicago's familiar Little Oscar, the Oscar Mayer "chef," who drives a classy wiener on wheels . . . Freshman pitcher Pete Schummer inserted in the line-up to pitch the final put-out of the second game at Chicago U.—

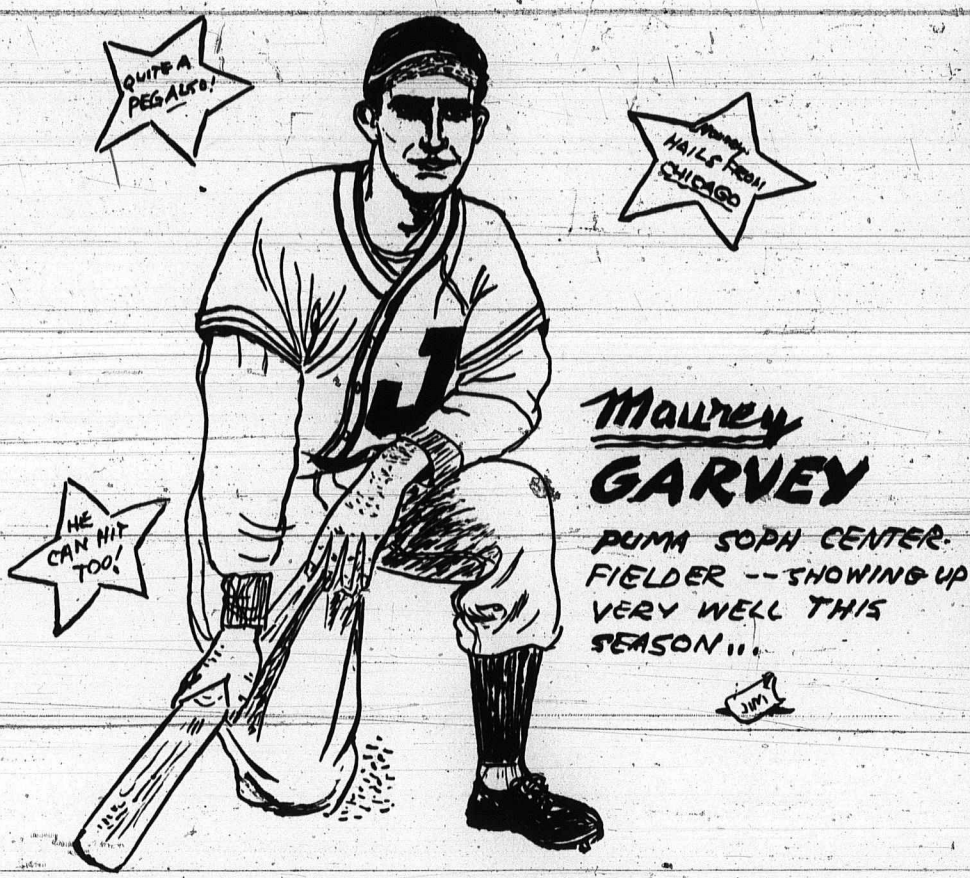
Pete's folks went over for the game from Michigan . . . Others say there aren't enough interesting students!

STUFF

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The Grapevine

By JOHN WOLFE

INTRAMURAL DIRECTOR Jim Beane has announced that a horseshoe contest will be held in both singles and doubles on May 18. Also an intramural track meet is under consideration. The contestants would participate in the 100 and 220-yard dashes, the broad jump, and the high jump. Another project planned is an intramural softball day with prizes being awarded to winners in the longest throws, throws for accuracy, catchers' throws, base running, etc. These contemplated projects depend upon student interest in them. Anyone interested is requested to see either Mr. Beane or Duke Meinert.

FIVE TRACK REPRESENTATIVES of St. Joe traveled to Valparaiso April 29 for a triangular meet with Valpo and Ball State, but only Ed Joyce was successful in acquiring points. Joyce finished third in the 100-yard dash to gain two points. The Cards won the meet with 107 points while the Crusaders garnered 41.

BRANCH McCracken, coach of Indiana's national basketball champs, will be the chief speaker for the annual all-sports banquet May 12 in the college dining room. This event is a yearly tribute to varsity members and intramural champions, at which time letters and trophies will be awarded.

THE TENNIS TEAM dropped a 7-0 decision to the Butler netters in their first match last Friday. It was the seventh match for the Bulldogs, who have had a lot of practice—something which the Pumas have lacked because of rain-soaked courts.

THE TWO LOSSES which the Puma baseball team suffered at Butler can certainly be attributed to injuries, at least partially. A dearth of catchers cost St. Joe the first game. Don Normandt, an outfielder by trade, had to fill in for the injured Don Merki after there just were no more catchers around. Ted Ashburner, a pitcher, played right field. Jim Couture, another pitcher, caught the second game and did an admirable job under the circumstances. Ashburner was supposed to pitch the second game, but he came up with a sore arm, and Jim Progar was pressed into use on a moment's notice. Jim pitched a good share of the game in the rain. The absence of George Smolar with a pulled muscle didn't help things either.

Measurements to the left field wall at Butler read 470 feet, 375 feet to right and infinity to center. Bob Wasni banged one to left which backed the fielder near enough the wall that he was almost out of sight.

Pumas Flatten Ball State Twice; Wasni, Merki Homer Leaders

St. Joe ran its victory string to five straight games and picked up its first ICC win April 22 as the Pumas defeated Ball State in both ends of a twin-bill here, 12-11 and 11-5. The second contest will not count in the ICC standings, unless the third meeting of these two teams, at Muncie, is cancelled. This game was called after 5½ innings because of darkness.

Joe Gerba, the last of five Puma flingers, was credited with the victory in the first battle. Don Merki split the catching duties with Tom Dudeck. Once again it was Bob Wasni heading the batting barrage, this time with his third round-tripper of the year and two singles.

The Pumas, one run down going into the ninth, pulled the game out of the fire with base-running and clutch hitting. Dudeck opened with a walk, went to second on Don Normandt's single and scored as pinch-hitter Dick Dwinell singled. Smoky Smolar laid down a squeeze bunt to plate Normandt with the winning tally.

Dwinell switched into pitching togs for the second contest and threw an eight-hitter at the Cardinals. A seven-run second inning was sparked by Merki's homer down the right-field line. Don Gorman immediately followed with a triple in the same place and then stole home.

Four-Run Uprising Trips Lewis Flyers

Clovers Bop Epars for IM Pinnacle

The Clovers, undefeated in the 12-inch IM softball league, added the Drexel Epars to their list of victims last Friday. The Epars took over the second spot with a 4-1 record. The Rensultuckians remained in third place. The 16-inch league remained under the domination of the Chi-townites, still undefeated. But the number two spot found a new occupant as the Poor Bachelors, also undefeated, moved by Ziggy's Piggy's who now show two defeats on their record.

STANDINGS

12-Inch League		
Clovers	4	0
Drexel Epars	4	1
Rensultuckians	4	3
Seifert Sox	2	3
Cosmopolitans	1	4
Ziggy's Piggy's	0	4
16-Inch League		
Chi-townites	5	0
Poor Bachelors	4	0
Ziggy's Piggy's	4	2
Banchees	3	3
Fence Busters	2	3
Zack's Team	1	7

Butler Breaks Streak Of Puma Baseballers

St. Joe's winning streak in baseball came to an abrupt halt when the Pumas invaded the Butler playing field at Indianapolis, April 25. By the time the double-header was over, the Butler nine had hung two defeats on the previously unmarred record of the Pumas. In the first game, St. Joe capitalized on its nine hits for eight runs, but the effort was just two runs shy of a victory.

Going into the seventh inning of that game, Coach Jim Beane's crew was trailing by a score of 5-4. Ralph Meyer put them ahead, 7-5, by tripling with the bases loaded and two away. In the bottom half of that inning, the Bulldogs promptly added two runs to tie the score. Don Merki brought in Meyer on a single in the eighth, after Meyer had walked and advanced to third on Bob Wasni's single. This was the Pumas' last score. Butler retaliated with three runs on as many hits in the last of the eighth, gaining the 10-8 victory when the Pumas were unable to score in their portion of the ninth inning. Dick Dwinell drew the loss.

The second game, which was called after five and a half innings, saw the Pumas victim of a 5-0 shut-out. Meyer was the only St. Joe player to hit in that abbreviated game. Ralph rapped singles in the third and sixth innings, in two official batting attempts. Butler's six hits were good for the five runs. They were scoreless only in the second inning. Jim Progar suffered the defeat in the final game.

Smolar Steals Home for Clincher As Dwinell Chalks Up 6-5 Win

St. Joe Repeats Twin Chi Triumphs

The Pumas made it two straight double-header triumphs over the Chicago Maroons this year as they journeyed to Stagg Field last Saturday to post 9-2 and 4-3 triumphs. Joe Pindell pitched a one-hitter in the opening contest, the only blow being a seventh-inning blooper.

Pindell and Hamilton were locked in a scoreless pitchers' duel until the Pumas cracked the Maroon hurler for four runs in the fifth inning on three hits, a walk and an error. Chicago came back to score a run on three walks and a fly ball in their half of the inning. St. Joe got that run back in the top of the sixth on three hits, the big blow being a double by Normandt. The Pumas added four more in the seventh on a walk by Lavender, a double by Smolar, a walk by Meyer, Wasni's double and Garvey's third straight hit.

Maruoto led off the Chicago seventh with their only hit and eventually scored when Pindell passed his eighth man of the game, forcing in the second run.

In the nightcap, St. Joe started the first inning with four consecutive hits—singles by Smolar and Doherty, a long triple by Meyer and a single by Wasni—which gave them a 3-0 lead. The Pumas were then held until the fourth when Garvey singled to open the inning and eventually scored what proved to be the winning run on a wild pitch. Starting hurler John Wolfe weakened in the late innings allowing the first run to score in the sixth on three singles. When he forced in a run in the seventh inning on four straight pitches he was lifted in favor of Pete Schummer, who forced in another run before he struck out the next batter on four pitches.

St. Joe	—000 041 4—9-10-1
Chicago	—000 010 1—2-1-2
St. Joe	—300 100 0—4-7-1
Chicago	—000 001 2—3-6-0

Linksmen Plunge Into Difficulties

The golf team, after an initial win over Bellarmine, dropped three successive matches to Wabash, Chicago, and Evansville, and was last in a triangular meet with Valparaiso and Indiana State.

A four-run uprising in the eighth inning by St. Joe netted the local nine a 6-5 win over a scrappy Lewis nine before an overflow Parents' Day crowd last Sunday.

The rally was unique in that the Pumas did not get a hit in that eighth inning and the winning run scored on a theft of home by George "Smoky" Smolar. Dick Dwinell was tagged for nine hits and was given shaky support at crucial moments but registered 12 strikeouts to keep the Flyers under control.

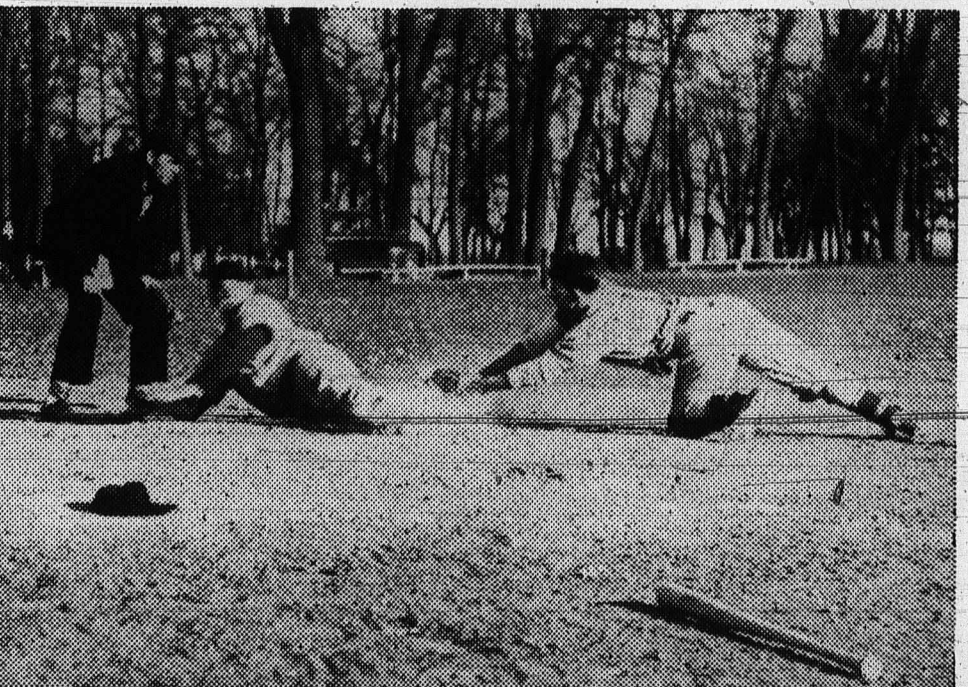
Lewis started things in the first with a run but Maury Garvey clouted a long homer to left field to tie things up in the bottom half of the second. Lewis took the lead again in the third when they bunched three hits for a pair of runs and added two more in the seventh on two hits and two Puma errors.

Then came the weird St. Joe eighth frame. Don Normandt started it with a walk. Gorman was safe on a fielder's choice but Kellogg forced him at second. Dwinell then walked to load the bases. Lewis changed pitchers, but the new hurler promptly walked Smolar, forcing in a run. Lavender was safe when the short-stop fumbled what looked like a double play ball, and the score moved up to 5-4. Ralph Meyer then hit a fly ball to center field, but the Lewis man dropped the ball, allowing Dwinell to cross the plate with the tying run. Smolar then stole home with the winning run.

Totals for that inning were four runs, no hits, three errors and two men left on base. Dwinell held the Flyers scoreless in their half of the ninth to win the game. Lewis —102 000 200—5-9-4
St. Joe —010 001 04x—6-5-3

Against Wabash, the Pumas could garner only ½ point by Tom Powell against 17½ for the Cavemen. Against Chicago, St. Joe was out-scored 11½-3½. Merle Effing shot a 77 to share medalist honors and score 2½ points, but only Tom Everling could give him any assistance. The Pumas shot their best golf of the season against Evansville when Powell shot a 77, Effing 78, Lynn 80 and Lillig 86, but they could notch only 2½ points against an Evansville team that averaged 77.

In the triangular contest, the linksters were outscored by Indiana State and Valpo by the same scores, 7½-4½. Indiana State won with a total of 14, Valpo came in second with 13 and St. Joe finished with 9. Tom Powell scored 5½ of the Puma points.



Safe is Don Normandt of the Power-Packed Pumas as he eludes the Franklin catcher to tally one of St. Joe's 19 runs against the Grizzlies April 20.

ARROW
CLEANERS

Glee Club Finishes With Joliet Show

By RAY SARLITTO

Nine concerts in ten days—that was the schedule of the St. Joe Glee Club over the last two weeks. And the group still has three dates encircled for singing in the next two weeks. Upcoming on the agenda is a short concert to be given this Saturday in Brook, Ind. One week later the Concert Chorus will present a program in the cafeteria for the parents of the seminarians. Last on the schedule is the joint concert to be presented at Joliet May 17 with the girls of the College of St. Francis Glee Club, who were guests here at the Spring Choral Festival April 19.

It all began on the Feast of the Solemnity of St. Joseph, April 22, when the Glee Club sang at the banquet here in honor of the Most Rev. Joseph M. Marling. The following Friday, the Glee Club made a tour of three Hammond and Whiting high schools, singing a total of five concerts during the day.

In the evening the singers were the guests of the Lake County Alumni Association at a dinner given in the Panel Room of St. John's school, Whiting. A short program was presented at the dinner including the St. Joe Alma Mater song. The trip had been arranged through the cooperation of the Rev. James I. Birkley, director of the Hammond extension, and the Rev. John Lefko, pastor of St. John's Parish, Whiting.

The following Sunday, April 26, the Glee Club presented a concert to approximately 120 people in Pulaski, Ind. In their final number, "MacNamara's Band," they had the distinction of being led by an able guest director from Pulaski, John Roth. The distinction: Johnny is a fourth grade student at the grammar school there.

Last Sunday afternoon, the Concert Chorus presented a program in the fieldhouse as part of the Parents' Day activities. A few of the selections sung were: "The Halls of Ivy," "You'll Never Walk Alone," "Terra Tremuit," "The Toreador Song," and "Were You There?"

St. Joe Center Collaborates In Open House

St. Joseph's College Calumet Center, located in Bishop Noll High School, Hammond, held its open house on the afternoon and evening of May 1, in collaboration with the other two Calumet area extensions of Indiana University and Purdue University.

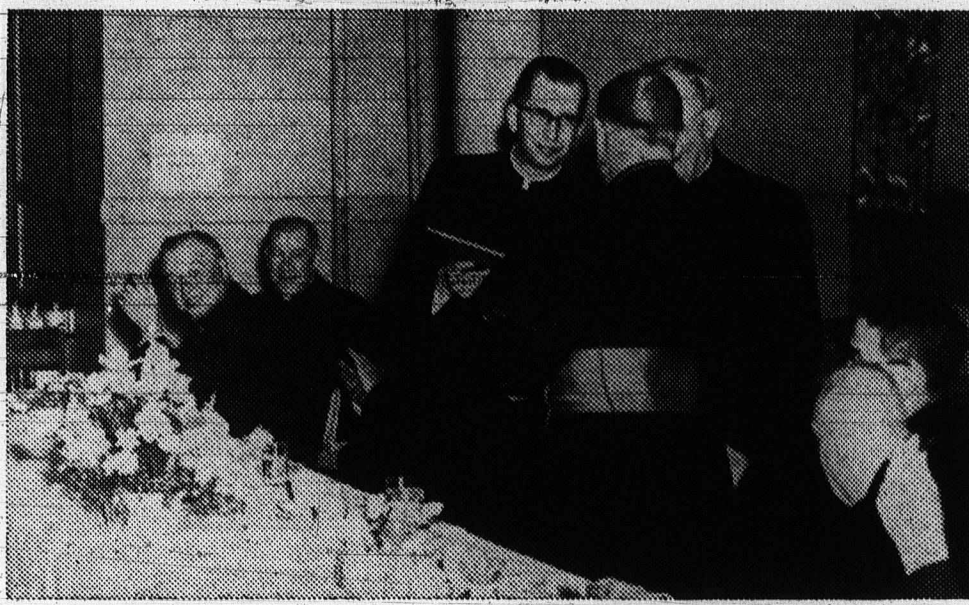
The purpose for holding an all-extensions open house on the same day was to provide high school seniors with the opportunity of visiting the schools and seeing them in operation all at one time, instead of disrupting the high school schedules on three different days as was done in the past. The evening open house, which was offered only by Indiana University and St. Joseph's, was open to the public to emphasize adult education.

The Rev. James I. Birkley, director of the Center, greeted the visitors at 1:30 p. m., and the Rev. Walter T. Pax, dean of the college, spoke informally on the subject, "Why Go To College?" Following the opening salutations, the faculty members were made available, to those interested, to discuss opportunities in their academic fields.

There were also exhibits and demonstrations in the following areas of study: oil painting, conducted by Mr. Clarence Giese, lecturer in fine arts and artist for the Fides Publishing Company, Chicago; model staging and play production, conducted by Mr. John Bettenbender, lecturer in dramatics; geology, conducted by Mr. Michael Davis, instructor in geology here at St. Joe; and developmental reading programs, conducted by Mr. Salvatore Pupo, instructor in education here.

Father Pax opened the evening session at 7:00 with a talk on "The Opportunities in Adult Education." The same opportunities were offered to those in the evening session as to those in the afternoon.

Priest-Alumni Celebrate Reunion Here



The Most Rev. Joseph M. Marling, bishop of Kansas City, receives an honorary degree from St. Joseph's president, the Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, at special exercises held in the afternoon of Alumni Day, April 22. Bishop Marling is a member of the Society of the Precious Blood.

The priest-alumni of St. Joseph's held their annual reunion and banquet on the Feast of the Solemnity of St. Joseph, April 22. The day officially opened with a Solemn Pontifical Mass, celebrated by the Most Rev. Joseph M. Marling, Auxiliary Bishop of Kansas City, Mo. Mass was preceded by the academic procession of faculty members and graduating seniors of the college.

The highlight of the dinner was the conferring of an honorary degree on Bishop Marling, former Provincial of the Order of the Most Precious Blood, by the Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, President of St. Joseph's, and the Most Rev. John G. Bennett, Bishop of Lafayette. The citation of the degree was read by the Rev. Walter T. Pax, Dean. Guest speakers Bishop Marling, Bishop Bennett, Father Gross, the Very Rev. Seraphim W. Oberhauser, Provincial of the Order of the Most Precious Blood, and approximately 120 guests were entertained by the Concert Chorus of the college.

Card Party Again Held By Mothers

Approximately 600 ladies attended the annual spring card party of the St. Joseph's Mothers' Club, held Thursday afternoon, April 23, in the Mural Room of the Morrison Hotel, Chicago.

The ladies were addressed by the Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, president of St. Joseph's. Other faculty members who represented the college were the Revs. Joseph A. Otte, Edwin G. Kaiser, and Richard P. Baird. Father Baird is the moderator of the club.

The general chairman for the card party was Mrs. Clarence J. Flynn. Mrs. John J. Gillen was co-chairman.

The chairmen for the committees which arranged the party were Mrs. Tad O'Connell, tickets; Mrs. Ralph Neff, door prizes; Mrs. C. A. Cheevers, raffle; Mrs. Fred Stucker, cards and table prizes.

The proceeds from the party were presented to Father Gross by the mothers on Parents' Day last Sunday.

Sophomore Test Dates Released

The sophomore general culture test will be given May 18-19 to all sophomores and those upperclassmen who have not previously taken it. The three-and-a-half-hour test will cover many areas of general education and current events in an effort to determine the progress the student has made since entering college. Each of the two sessions will begin at 8:30 a. m. in the college dining room. A \$2.00 fine will be inflicted for any unexcused absences.

Fathers' Final Meeting At Merchandise Mart

The St. Joseph's College Fathers' Club held its final meeting of the school year last Friday at the Merchandise Mart in Chicago.

At the meeting, the club's activities for the past year were discussed and preparations were made for the fathers' participation in the graduation exercises.

One of the topics discussed was the club's fund-raising campaign for the purchase of a Hammond organ for the college auditorium. Toward raising these funds, the fathers have organized a separate Boosters Club.

Guests attending the meeting were the fathers of boys who have made application for registration at St. Joe for the fall semester.

Reading Clinic Experimentees Show Advances

In only three weeks of its concentrated program, the experimental reading group of the campus Reading Clinic has shown vast improvements in both reading speed and comprehension, director Rev. Ernest Lucas disclosed recently. Composed of ten students, this group has been meeting voluntarily five times weekly in an effort to substantiate the theory that daily sessions will bring about greater improvements more rapidly than the present program of two sessions per week.

Currently, many students who began the course reading at the rate of 200 words per minute are already reading at the rate of 750-950 words per minute.

At each session, a student makes use of a tachistoscope for practice in instantaneous recognition and retention of increasingly more difficult numbers and phrases, a reading accelerator for speed in actual reading, and selection from one of two texts which test the student's comprehension of the material. If approved by the faculty, the clinic for next semester will offer at least three sessions each week.

Retreat Service Given on Campus

Thirty boys from high schools in Elwood, Reynolds, Oliver, Alexandria, and Gary, Ind., attended the annual high school retreat held April 24-26 on the St. Joe campus. The Rev. Richard P. Baird acted as retreat director and the Rev. Edwin G. Kaiser was the retreat master.

The retreat opened Friday evening with devotions in the chapel and closed Sunday morning with a sermon by the retreatmaster. The program for the retreat included Mass, Communion, Confessions, conferences, and a question box.

Strict silence was required of all participants in the retreat, except during recreation periods and the noon and evening meals, so that there could be proper time for meditation and spiritual reading.

After the close on Sunday afternoon, the retreatants played the Xavier students in a softball game on the Xavier field.

CP's Click in Favorite

(Continued from Page Two) that he at least knew where the middle of the stage was.

Hampered by bad voice control and unconvincing speech, John Good was too bustling to be spontaneous in his original scene. He had little trouble with lines though, and otherwise seemed suited to the part.

Prospects for the Players look good from here. With three leads available—Dick Kothimer for drama, Buel Adams for comedy, and Jack Carlson for a romantic lead—the CP's should be able to accomplish even bigger and better things next year.



Part of the gathering at the priest-alumni banquet is shown above. Recognizable are St. Joe faculty members, the Revs. Walter T. Pax, Joseph B. Kenkel, and Raphael H. Gross. Bishop Joseph M. Marling is at the right.

Pumas Nip Franklin In Wild Donneybrook

The St. Joe Pumas blew a 12-run lead but emerged the victor in a wild contest over Franklin here April 20.

The hectic contest produced 36 hits, 18 errors, and a 19-18 score. St. Joe racked up a 16-4 lead by the end of four innings, only to see the Grizzlies shove across 12 counters in the final three frames. Jim Progar, the Puma starter, gave way to Jim Couture in the seventh after developing blisters on his throwing fingers. When he retired, the score was 16-8.

Bob Wasni, Ralph Meyer and Maurie Garvey led the local aggregation at the plate. Wasni blasted a three-run homer as well as a pair of singles; Meyer collected three bingles; and Garvey had a double and a trio of one-basers.

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Bishop Marling carries the crozier, symbol of his office, as he marches in academic procession to the chapel for a Pontifical High Mass April 22. He was preceded by Bishop John G. Bennett of Lafayette, St. Joe faculty members, priest-alumni, and graduating seniors.

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